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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 14,

Line 66, after "even" delete " , ".

Column 15,

Line 14, replace "halt." with -- half. --.

Line 44, after "even" delete " , ".

Column 16,

Line 16, after "even" delete " , ".

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "J" and a distinct "D".

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